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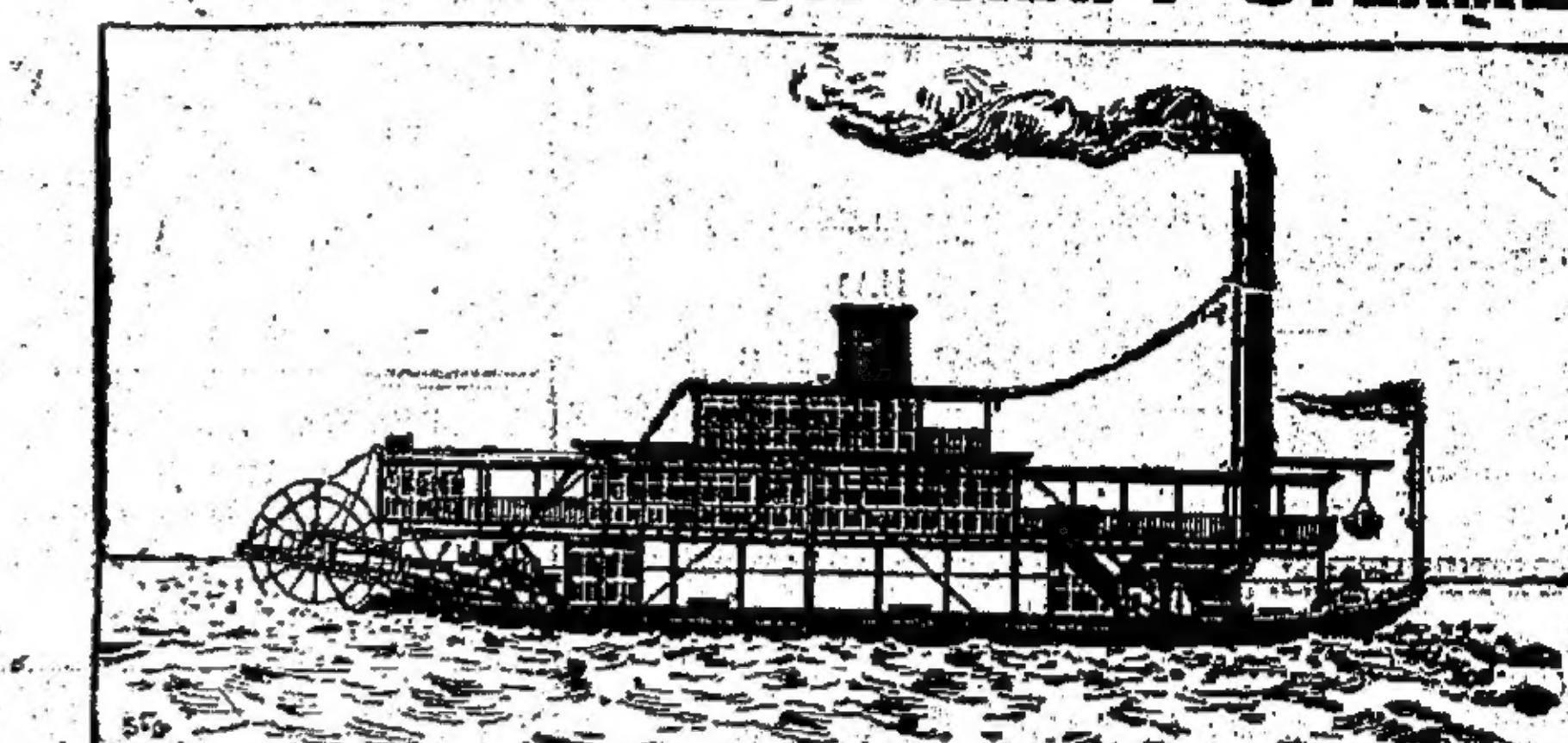
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BIRTH.
CHAO.—On June 20th, at the Victoria
Hospital, Hongkong, the wife of H. A.
CHAO, of a Daughter.MEMOS FOR TOMORROW.
Miscellaneous.10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.—Shooting of H.K.
Volunteer Reserve Association Special
Pool.Goods per Nippon undelivered after this
date subject to rent.

MEMOS FOR MONDAY.

Auction.
3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land at the
Public Works Department's Offices.Miscellaneous.
Goods per Nippon undelivered after
Noon this date will be landed.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, June 23.—
10 p.m.—Action of Sundry Old and Ser-
vices Naval & Victualling Stores at H.
M. Naval Establishments.Goods per Gothen undelivered after this
date subject to rent.Goods per Scutro undelivered after
4 p.m. this date will be landed.WEDNESDAY, June 24.—
Goods per America undelivered after
noon this date subject to rent.THURSDAY, June 25.—
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-
ture, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lamarr's
Sales Room.

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LIBERTY OF THE PRESS.

BETWEEN liberty and license there is a
great gulf fixed. But that gulf is great
only in the sense that it is deep. Its
width is so insignificant that it is easily
overstepped. It is thus with news-
papers. To British papers is very
wisely given a degree of freedom which
we believe to be unequalled in any
other monarchical country. That this
freedom is sometimes abused is no
proof that the policy of permitting the
press to unrestrainedly comment upon
public affairs is unwise. Rights, as
well as privileges may be abused. Taking
it all in all a free press has had
a very great deal to do with making
our Empire what it is. It is then
with something like wonder that we
observe that our traditional policy has
been departed from in regard to Mr.
E. T. Bethell lately of the "Korea
Daily News." We may say at once
we do not identify ourselves with the
policy for which Mr. Bethell was the
leading exponent. That policy was
persistent and unrelenting hostility to
Japan. That is a policy we cannot
endorse. Japan is entitled to precisely
the same treatment as every other na-
tion, Occidental or Oriental. She
should be commended when her actions
deserve eulogy and denounced when
her behaviour calls for reproof. After
a fairly close study of the "Korea
Daily News" since its inception, we
are constrained to say that we have

never detected any disposition

to give her the dues she may fairly
claim. But on the contrary we alto-
gether decline to believe that Mr. Bethellhas been sending forth a continuous
flood of untruths purely for the purpose

of damaging the reputation of Japan.

The motive is wanting. Deceitful and
unworthy actions are sometimes taken,
or engineered, for no apparent motive.

But in such cases it is certain that some

motive, which though insufficient and
even non-understandable to the outside
observer, is satisfactory and sufficient to
the persons who occasion these actions.

What motive could Mr. Bethell possess

to act in a manner contrary to the
best traditions of British journalism?

Money? His paper suspended publica-

tion, not because of the impending
action, but because of financial difficulties.That explanation is therefore
impossible. Was Mr. Bethell looking
for honours and dignities? Obviously
if he had been he would have adoptedthe policy of praising Japan's every
action. Honours bestowed by Japan,
now regarded as one of the world'sgreat Powers, would be more valuable
than distinctions bestowed by a poor
little "protected" state such as Korea.We feel then that we are justified in
assuming that Mr. Bethell took up the
attitude of antagonism to Japan because
he conscientiously believed that she wasbehaving in Korea in a manner which
common humanity demanded should be
exposed. Holding this view he haspublished articles and news items of a
character which brought upon him the
ignominy of being "bound over"
like a wife-beater, and now, the
crowning degradation of goal. WithMr. Bethell's articles, which were ex-
pressions of opinion, we have nothing
to do. But the news items certainly
showed that, at all events, some of theagents of Japan in Korea, were behav-
ing towards the inhabitants of that
country in a manner which called for
denunciation. To cite one minor in-
stance readers may recollect the historicSongki Pagoda, which was "acquired"
under peculiar circumstances by no less
a person than the special emissary of
the Emperor of Japan. The pro-Japan
papers published in English in Japan
flatly denied the "acquisition"and one of them went so far as to
characterise Mr. Bethell, who first
reported the acquisition, as a "liar."In a few months that journal had to
shamefacedly admit that Mr. Bethell had
been perfectly correct. Mr. Bethell,
whatever errors of judgment he may
have committed, has done a service tohumanity in exposing the abuses of
Japanese governance in Korea. The
world was the more ready to believe
in their authenticity by reason of un-
disputed facts in Manchuria.The door in Manchuria has not been opened.
Discrimination against foreigners has
been the policy of the officials on the
spot—though it must be said for Japan
that the authorities at Tokyo repudiated
such action. But diplomatic re-
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has been carefully and designedlyclosed. It was the Hsinmin-taku
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LETTERS ON LIFE.

No. IX.

CLOCKWORK FIGURES.

HONGKONG, June, 1908.

Dear Man.—Did you ever see an
Opera called "The Mountebanks" written
by Mr. W. S. Gilbert? If so you
will remember a verse which runs:"Clockwork figures may be found
Everywhere and all around;
Ten to one if we but know
You are clockwork figures too."I have lately been forcibly reminded
of the element of truth in these pro-
found verses,—reminded of our terrible
tendency to grow automatic, so
that our very ideas in time become
stereotyped, our conversations clichés.Surely clockwork figures could say
"How do you do?" with the cordiality
of most human beings, and interchange
views about the weather, and the
probable occurrence of a typhoon with
equal intelligence.One evening not very long ago, I
was travelling down in the Peak tram.
As we stopped at the Bowen Road
Station a woman I knew well, got in
"How do you do?" I said."Quite well, thank you," replied she.
"And how is your husband?" I
continued."Quite well, thank you," was her
answer."Why did you not bring him with
you to-night?" (we were both on our
way to dine at the house of a mutual
friend.)"Oh! poor dear, he has been in bed
for quite a week, ill with an attack of
malaria fever."And my interlocutor cannot yet
imagine why I was so heartless as to
smile.At dinner that evening I sat at table
between an elderly man of Colonial
importance and a youth to whom
nature had been particularly kind in
the matter of personal beauty."And what have you been doing
with yourself to-day," the former
asked me. He always puts that same
question indiscriminately to every
woman he meets in a kind, fatherly
sort of way."Playing golf with you if you will
remember," I answered."By Jove yes, how stupid I am," he
said laughing quite pleasantly at
finding himself caught out."Tea to one if we only knew
You are a clockwork figure too."I said patiently, and then I turned
to hear what original remarks the
neighbour on my left had to offer."Beautiful weather we're having," he
began brightly, and not at all as if it
had affected him in any way.The remark did not seem like the
opening of a really elevating conver-
sation, so I merely acquiesced."Haven't been able to see the Peak
today," he continued.

"No," I grunted.

"And I don't suppose we shall see it
for another month or so now," and with
that the youth turned to his other
neighbour and made those same three
remarks all over again, for I am

ITALIAN PARLIAMENT.

A DISORDERLY SCENE.

Deputies And Journalists.

(Exclusive Service, Supplied by Reuters, via Bombay.)

LONDON, June 19.

A disorderly scene has occurred in the Italian Chamber of Deputies.

While an altercation was proceeding between Deputies Santini and Bazilai the pressmen in the gallery interfered, whereupon Signor Santini apostrophised them as journalistic cowards.

The journalists retorted by calling the Deputy opprobrious epithets. Owing to the resulting uproar the President suspended the sitting.

When the Chamber resumed its sitting Signor Santini expressed his willingness to apologise to the pressmen who, however, refused to return.

The journalists selected a representative to challenge Santini to a duel.

The newspapers are now boycotting Parliament and refuse to report the debates.

IMPERIAL CHINESE TELEGRAPHS.

SHAREHOLDERS DISSATIS- FIED.

Shung Kung-po Protests.

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

PEKING, June 10.

Shung Kung-po has telegraphed the Peking Government stating that the shareholders decline to accept the Government offer for the purchase of the shares, and asks the Throne to sanction an increase in price in order to smooth the feeling of the public.

PLAQUE EPIDEMIC IN SAMSUI.

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE CONTRACTS DISEASE.

(From Our Correspondent.)

SAMUI, June 19.

Plague epidemic is prevalent here. A number of deaths are reported.

Seven deaths have occurred in the Yamen of the Magistrate who has also contracted the disease and has left for Canton for treatment. Official business has been dislocated.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

LONDON, June 18.

At the Chicago convention, Senator Lodge, permanent chairman, in a speech eulogising President Roosevelt, evoked a remarkable demonstration lasting forty-five minutes. Senator Lodge's impressive declaration that President Roosevelt's decision not to stand again for the presidency is irrevocable reduced the hall to silence. Mr Taft's delegates at the convention secured 700 seats out of a total of 920.

LATER. The Republican Convention have adopted a platform containing every plank favoured by Mr Taft, and President Roosevelt.

MOROCCO.

LONDON, June 18.

Molai Hafid has been proclaimed Sultan of Morocco at Tetuan.

MACEDONIA.

LONDON, June 18.

Reuter learns that the details of the Anglo-Russian proposals regarding Macedonia are practically settled, and that as soon as the agreement is definite, the two governments will seek the adhesion of other powers. Turkey has decided to withdraw her troops from Samos except one battalion.

The band of the 13th Rajputs will play at the Bello View Hotel to-morrow evening, commencing at 6 p.m. Visitors will find a good dinner awaiting them, and the band is well worth hearing. The following is the programme:—March, Black Horse, Selection, "San Toy," Piccolo Solo, "The Lark," Soucroue, "Salutation," "Valse," "Nette," "Dernier," French Comedies, Selection, "Faust," "Valse," "Merry Widow" (by request).

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A PROMISSORY NOTE.

A claim of \$217.94, being at balance due under a promissory note, came before Mr Justice Gumpertz at the Supreme Court to-day, the plaintiff being Mai Siu Sam, alias Mai Chi, and the defendant was Chan Tin Ting, alias Chan Yam Ting.

Mr O. D. Thomson appeared for the plaintiff and Mr Otto Kong Sing represented the defendant.

Mr Thomson said plaintiff was formerly the owner of a junk, and on November 14 of last year, he agreed to sell it to the defendant for \$1,570, although at the defendant's request the purchase price was put at \$2,500. On the date of the agreement defendant paid \$100 on account, and plaintiff signed an agreement and acknowledged having received \$1,100, the extra \$1,000 being the difference between the \$2,500 and \$1,500. Defendant on various dates paid installments and on January 10, a balance of \$700 was due. At the request of defendant plaintiff signed two documents, one for \$500, the other being a simple acknowledgment of indebtedness for \$200, the reason being that the stamp on the promissory note would only cover \$900. The \$200 was paid in due course and certain installments amounted to \$315 were paid on account of the note, and this left \$185 due. On June 8 defendant's account came to the plaintiff and said defendant was ready to pay the money. Plaintiff could not go that day, but a few days later the account came again and plaintiff went on that occasion. On arrival defendant produced a couple of bags of money and asked plaintiff to produce the promissory note, and receipt it, and he would pay plaintiff the money. Plaintiff did so and then defendant took the receipt and the bags of money and went into a cubicle, telling plaintiff to wait until the return of his father. Plaintiff waited but defendant kept putting him off and eventually his son for the police, who advised plaintiff that it was a matter for the Summary Court.

Examined by Mr Thomson plaintiff said he had put in the purchase price of \$2,500 to clear his master.

Cross-examined by Mr Otto Kong Sing as to why he had signed receipts for \$1,100 and \$2,500 and only received \$800.

Witness—By the signing of the second receipt the first became waste paper.

Did you receive it back?—No.

Further evidence was called and His Lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff for \$185.

OUR VOLUNTEER.

The Annual Report.

The annual reports for the Hongkong Volunteer forces have been issued.

In reference to the Corps, the officer commanding, Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Chapman, states that on March 31, 1908 the total strength of the Corps was 295 as against 289 the preceding year. During the year 68 members had resigned, 3 on medical certificate, 27 in the Colony and 39 on leaving the Colony. The new men 38 were enrolled numbered 74.

The Volunteer Reserve Association had on March 31 lost a membership of 219, a decrease of 20 during the past twelve months. Rifle practice had been carried on for two days a week throughout the year.

In concluding his report Colonel Chapman said: I am indebted to Major I'Prichard for the efficient state in which he left the Corps on his resignation on 1st April, 1907, and am glad to be able to report that this standard of efficiency has been maintained, thanks to the willing co-operation of all members of the Corps and to the help I have received from my Staff Officer, Corps Sergeant-Major W. Higby and Staff Ammunition G. W. Averall have continued to perform their duties to the best of their ability.

A full list of names of camp reports and so forth is appended to the report.

Ceylon papers note the death of Colour-Sergeant W. E. Thompson, Drill Instructor of the C. L. I. Mr Thompson contracted enteric fever at the Hunupitiya rifle range while engaged in practice for the Empire Day "Daily Mail" Rifle Match and went into Hospital a day before the match—May 22nd. The deceased, who was 36 years of age, joined the Army at the age of 18, his regiment being the East Surreys.

Captain Lake of the a.s.s. Nanusang has a few queer passengers with him this voyage. They are bound for Kobe and consist of three young cuttangs, two or three gibbons, a couple of tapis, a wild cat, two large pythons, a baby alligator and a few other specimens of the fauna of Borneo. The specimens are going to Kobe for the Zoological Gardens and except for one tapis, which is feeling the change, all are doing well and apparently are enjoying their voyage. The orang outangs are definite, the two governments will seek the adhesion of other powers. Turkey has decided to withdraw her troops from Samos except one battalion.

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A three-masted vessel, the Fourcroy, with auxiliary steam power, has been launched at St. Malo, in the north-west of France. The vessel has been built for Dr Charchot's French expedition, which will start for the Antarctic regions in a few months' time.

AN AUSTRALIAN COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER'S STORY.

IT is the commercial traveller who finds the most change of climate and water trying. Mr Ober G. Chapman, who represents a large Brisbane concern, has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. On one of his trips a fellow traveller recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and this is what he says of it: "I procured a bottle and experienced great relief after taking a few doses. Before the bottle was finished I was cured and have not been troubled since." This remedy is for sale by all chemists and druggists.

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THE BOYCOTT.

Japanese and Chinese Journalists.

The boycotting movement is as strong as ever. Chinese cooks who serve in family houses and business houses in Hongkong have resolved at meeting to cook nothing Japanese and their resolutions are written on placards posted up in many places.

The Japanese public seem to hold the Chinese press responsible for the maintenance of the movement, and have sent a deputation over to China to interview the native press in South China and Hongkong.

Yesterday, the native press in the Colony received a visit from a Japanese journalist from Kobe who stated that it was the intention of the Chinese press association to co-operate with the Chinese journalists in South China with a view to arriving at a better understanding between the peoples of the two nations. It was also proposed to invite the Chinese journalists to Japan for a visit. What will result from the visit of the Japanese journalists is uncertain.

SPORTING.

Water Polo.

The water polo match between the Corinthian Yacht Club's Polo team and a team from H.M.S. Tamar was not played yesterday afternoon, but is to take place on Monday next.

Home Cricket.

FIXTURES FOR MONDAY.

Lords, Middlesex v. Notts.

Oval, Surrey v. Worcestershire.

Gloucester, Gloucestershire v. Somerset.

Brighton, Sussex v. Cambridge University.

Bradford, Yorkshire v. Warwickshire.

Caiford Bridge, Kent v. Northamptonshire.

Leyton, Essex v. Lancashire.

THE IDEAL CITIZENSHIP.

Mr. Roosevelt Eloquent.

WASHINGTON, May 17.

President Roosevelt yesterday delivered an address to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which after paying a tribute to the part which Methodism had played in the development of the United States, he said the need and opportunity for religious service widened. The President continued:

It is not true in this country that there have grown up cities, but it is true that there have grown up nations, and particularly in our large cities, the rich have grown so much richer as to widen the gulf between the man of very large means and the man who makes each day's livelihood by that day's work; and those who with sincerity, and efficiency, and deep conviction, banded together for mutual help, are those who can do most to keep the gulf from becoming too wide.

No nation in the world has more right than ours to look with proud confidence toward the future. We have had a long record of experiment in democratic government, of government by the people and for the people, of government based on the principle of treating each man on his innate worth as a man, tried on so vast a scale as with us; and on the whole the experiment has been more successful than anywhere else, therefore, on the whole I think it can be said that we have grown better—and not worse; for if there is much evil, good also greatly abounds, and if wrong grows so in even greater measure grows the stern sense of right which, though wrong must eventually yield. It would be both unwise and unwise to become so complacent as to stop thinking about the nation's future. Clever and far-sighted men, who are both brave of heart and cool of head, while not for a moment refusing to see and acknowledge the many evils around us, may yet also feel a confident assurance that in the struggle we shall win, and not lose, that the century that has just opened will score great triumphs for the nation.

The persistency of naturalists and scientists has at last won, and after years of impertinence Captain Cleveland has promised to lend his endeavours to the work of saving the Atlantic cable.

The cable has been strung with the steamship of his right, before which, though much eventually yield, it would be both unwise and unwise to become so complacent as to stop thinking about the nation's future.

The island, or rather, the man who is either brave of heart and cool of head, while not for a moment refusing to see and acknowledge the many evils around us, may yet also feel a confident assurance that in the struggle we shall win, and not lose, that the century that has just opened will score great triumphs for the nation.

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The island, or rather, the man who is either brave of heart and cool of head, while not for a moment refusing to see and acknowledge the many evils around us, may yet also feel a confident assurance that in the struggle we shall win, and not lose, that the century that has just opened will score great triumphs for the nation.

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LAUNCH COLLIDES WITH JUNK.

Old Woman Drowned.

Soon after five o'clock yesterday afternoon, the ss. Loengang collided with a coolie junk, just off Wanchai. The steamer was leaving the harbour on route for Man-ka when the collision occurred. When it was seen that a collision was inevitable by those on board the steamer, the engines were immediately reversed. This had the effect of causing the junk to swing alongside the steamer, when it was hoisted over until her gunwale was under water. The passengers clambered up the side of the junk, and several steam launches were soon on the spot rendering invaluable assistance. One old woman 77 years of age was unfortunately drowned, while the remaining passengers were all rescued. The police launched boats thirty-two people ashore and the junk was towed to Causeway Bay. The collision delayed the steamer somewhat but she proceeded on her voyage before darkness fell.

DISORDERLY "BRAVES."

A special message from Shanghai to the "Shanghai Times," dated June 9, says:

The old feud between the soldiers and the citizens seems to have crept inside the city. A few days ago (last Saturday) four soldiers carrying their pet birds with them were in a theatre near the city temple witnessing, free of charge, a play. Their birds were requested to cover the cages to prevent disturbance. They not only refused to do so but assaulted the servant who suggested the idea. Being only four in number they were pretty severely beaten by the theatre servants and two of them were turned over to the police. These two were taken into camp for punishment.

In the camp they were successful in arousing the sympathy of about a hundred of their comrades and the officer of the camp.

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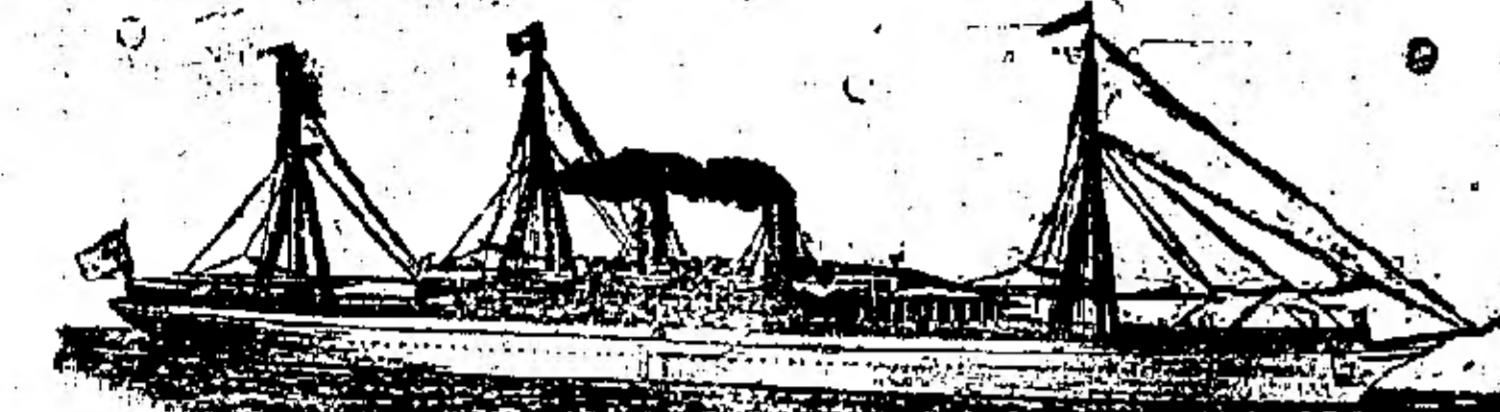
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SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & NUBIA	Capt. F. J. FOX	About 4th Freight and Passage.

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EMPEROR OF CHINA	6000 Tons	SATURDAY, July 25	Aug. 15
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EMPEROR OF INDIA	6000 Tons	SATURDAY, Aug. 15	Sept. 6
EMPEROR OF JAPAN	6000 Tons	SATURDAY, Sept. 5	Sept. 26
LENNOX	8700 Tons	FRIDAY, Sept. 11	Oct. 10

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THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	SENGHAI & CHINKIANG	SHAOHING	June 22, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	MANILA	SHANGHAI	June 23, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	MANILA, BOAOGA, PT. DARWIN	TAMING	June 23, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	DAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, MELBOURNE	CHANGSHA	June 27, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	SYDNEY, MELBOURNE	CHANGSHA	June 27, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	SYDNEY, MELBOURNE	CHANGSHA	June 27, at 4 p.m.
THURSDAY, 2nd July, at 6 p.m.	ADELAIDE, FREMANTLE & PERTH	CHANGSHA	June 27, at 4 p.m.
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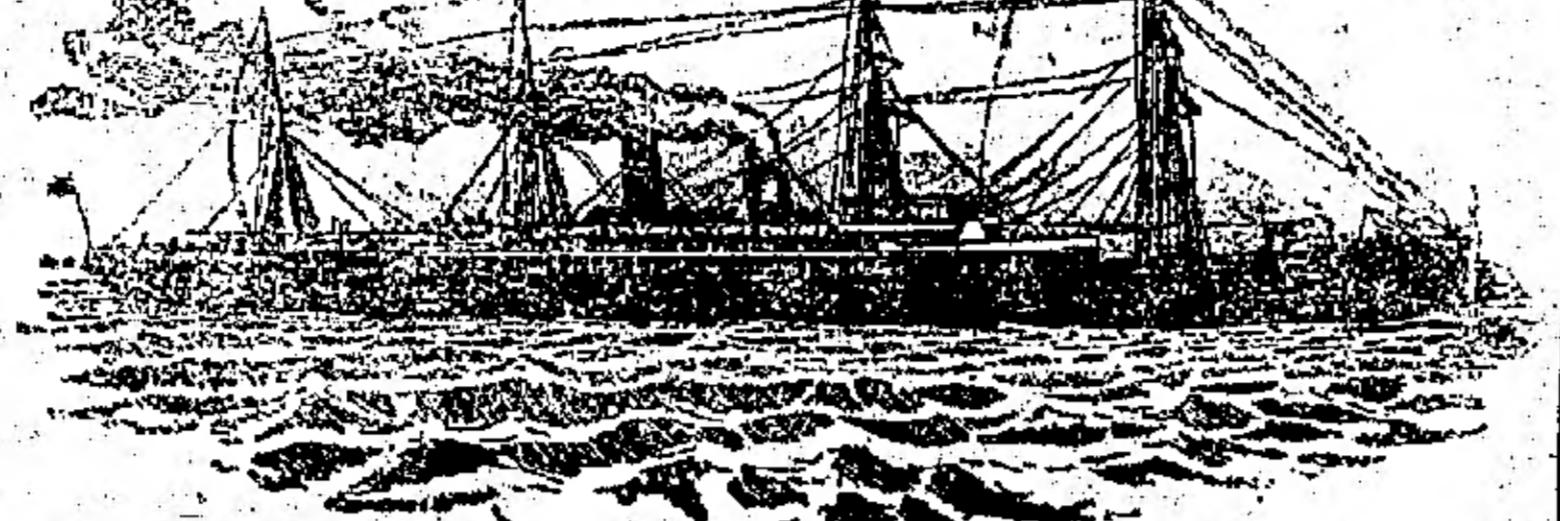
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STEAMERS	Leave	Arriving	Arrive at
ARCADIA	7,000	June 27	MARSHALL (London)
MALTA	7,000	July 11	BRITANNIA (London)
DEVAHNA	8,000	July 25	INDIA (London)
INDIA	10,500	Aug. 8	MALTA (London)
DELTA	8,000	Sept. 22	INDIA (London)
MALTA	6,000	Sept. 5	INDIA (London)
DEVAHNA	8,000	Oct. 3	INDIA (London)
OCEANA	7,000	Oct. 10	INDIA (London)
DELTA	8,000	Oct. 31	INDIA (London)
ARCADIA	7,000	Nov. 14	INDIA (London)

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STEAMERS	Leave	Arrive at
TONNAGE	about	about
* Ceylon	4,000	June
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* HARDINA	6,500	July
* NYBIA	6,000	Aug.
* NYANZA	7,000	Aug.
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* SUMATRA	6,000	Oct.
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TOURANE, LANGEVIN, July 6, p.m.

MELBOURNE, VIA PORTS POLYNESIEN, MARTIN, July 7, at 1 p.m.

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SOURABAYA (DIRECT), THURSDAY, 26th

JUNE, at Noon.

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